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1. Between 12 and 23 February 1951, about 300 soldiers wearing red-bordered black epaulets were engaged in intensive infantry training in the billeting area of Stalags (former PW base camps) I through III in Luckenwalde (N 53/Z 70). Record rifle firing at a range of about 200 meters was held in the gravel pit at the camps. *
2. Motor vehicles [redacted] [redacted] were seen at the Kriegsschule on Barutherstrasse. All troops observed with the vehicles wore red-bordered black 50X1-HUM epaulets.
3. [redacted] no troop camp was north of the Luckenwalde railroad station. 50X1-HUM
4. The so-called restricted area on Gruenstrasse contains the Kriegsschule on Breitestrasse. The Kriegsschule can be reached only through the gate on Gruenstrasse. The dwelling houses in the restricted area billeted Soviet officers.
5. A Soviet hospital has been established in the former vocational school on Brandenburgerstrasse. 50X1-HUM
6. Motor vehicles [redacted] [redacted] were observed at the Soviet kommandatura on Willi-Scholzstrasse.
7. The premises of the Norddeutsche Werke (North German Plants) on Industriestrasse were occupied by a Soviet unit and were always guarded by sentries on watchtowers. Motor vehicles [redacted] were identified there. **

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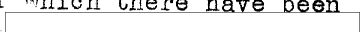
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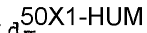
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*  Comment. Stalag II is believed to quarter the staffs of the artillery and tank instructors of the Third Gds Mecz Army and components of the army's unidentified AAA Div. There may also be a training battalion, of which there have been indications since the end of 1949.  50X1-HUM

**  Comment. The report indicates no change in the status of the Hq Third Hds Mecz Army in the restricted area on Gruenstrasse, and in the other military installations in Luckenwalde.  50X1-HUM

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